FISCAL NOTE

SB 1038 - HB 1238

March 10, 2003

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires training for persons engaged in cosmetic tattooing consistent with current law but specifies that such training must be completed annually. Requires that applications for registration as a tattoo artist contain an affidavit where the applicant swears, under penalty of perjury, that the application is complete and accurate. Creates a Class C misdemeanor for a person holding an apprentice or temporary artist license to engage in cosmetic tattooing unless directly supervised and assisted by a fully-licensed tattoo artist.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$5,000 One-Time

Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Not Significant Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant

Assumes:

- a one-time cost in the Department of Health for printing costs for new applications and computer changes to implement new requirements.
- impact depends upon the number of persons convicted of this offense and the resulting increased cost to local governments to confine such persons versus the increased revenues to local governments from fines levied and collected under the provisions of this bill.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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